Subnissiion of quarterly report about the use of Hindi

*516. SHRI RAM RATAN RAM:
DR. SHRIKANT
RAMCHANDRA JICHKAR:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that all Ministries have to submit a quarterly report *to* Department of Official Languages about the use of Hindi

(b) whether it is also a fact that several Ministries do not Submit these reports regularly; and

(c) if so, what steps are being taken to see that the reports are received in-time?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Usually, these reports -are regularly received. Whenever these are not received from any Ministry/Depart ment in time, they are obtained by send ing reminders. D

Destruction of vital Crime records Ivy computer virus

*517. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

* *(A)* whether it is a fact that a computer virus has destroyed vital records of the Delhi Police, relating to criminals and gangsters, as reported in newspapers;
* thereof; and

(b) if so, what are the facts and details thereof; and

(c) what steps have been taken to repair the loss?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) to (c) No, Sir. News items had appeared in some newspapers of March, 9-10, 1995 Stating that a virus had stolen into the computer system of Delhi Police wiping of vital police records of criminals and gang-steis. A rebuttal to the news-item was given by the Delhi Police through a press release. The same was also carried by the newspapers.

Pak Prime Minister's willingness for talks on Kashmir

*518. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA:
SHRI SURINDER KUMAR SINGLA:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be plessed to stale:

(a) whither the Prime Minister of Pakistan has recently expressed her wil lingness to find an amicable solution re garding Kashmir and for talks with India; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government on such discussion?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRl R. L. BHATIA): (a) Government have been media reports to 'this effect,

(b) Government have repeatedly conveyed to Pakistan in the recent period our readiness to hold unconditional biliat ral talks resolve all differences, in. eluding aspects relating to Jammu & Kashmir, within the framework of the Simla Agreement, Govemment. would urge Pakistan to respond with sincerly *to* cur offer of talks.

गुजरात के लिए मिट्टी के तेल के कोटे में वृद्धि

*519. श्री कनक सिंह मोहन सिंह मंगरोला : क्या पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) गत दो वर्षों के दौरान गुजरात को मिट्टी के तेल की कितनी मात्रा आबंटित की गई है :